Difficulties caused by the rejection of one anna coins and British copper coins.

2. *MR. A. K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the difficulties caused by the rejection of one anna nickel coins and British copper coins at the time of exchange in South Travancore have come to the notice of the Government; and

(*b*) if so, what measures were taken to remove the difficulties?

MR. M. GOVINDA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (a) this does not arise.

Supply of stationery to offices.

3. *MR. S. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Quilon* cum *Kottarakara*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether the quantity of stationery supplied to offices is insufficient to meet their requirements?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Stationery articles are supplied to offices in such quantities as to meet their full requirements

Selection of candidates for the intermediate division by the Public Service Commissioner.

4. *MR. MURUKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN (*Neyyattinkara* cum *Trivandrum*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of instances where the Public Service Commissioner held selective tests for the selection of candidates for particular appointments in the intermediate division but the candidates so selected have not been recruited at all; and

(*b*) the total amount of application fees levied from applicants for appointments referred to in part (a)?

DR. G. D. NOKES (*Public Service Commissioner*):

(*a*) (i) where none of the selected candidates was recruited.

1112	— I	5
1112	— II	6
1113	— I	14
1113	— I & II	11
1113	— II	5
1114	— I	15
1114	— II	2
1115	— I	15

(ii) where some of the selected candidates were not recruited.

1112	— I	3
1112	— II	1
1113	— I	4
1113	— I & II	0
1113	II	3
1114	— I	3
1114	— II	2
1115	— I	4

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